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CPSC ATTENDEE(S): William H. King, Jr., ESEE

NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S): See attached list of council members.

SUMMARY OF MEETING: The meeting was the 36th meeting of the Fire Council of Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL). Mr. King is the current CPSC staff person who represents the CPSC staff on this council. Attached is the Fire Council schedule of events and a copy of the items discussed. A copy of the scope and purpose of the council is also attached. A report on the discussion that took place is being prepared by UL. Since Mr. King was recently appointed to the council, he did not provide any technical topics for discussion. Items covered included UL's plans for fire research: Fire Modeling, Heat Detector Research, Residential Sprinkler Research, and Smoke Detector Research. Also covered were UL's window bar releasing project, UL's electrical generator standard (UL 2200), and UL's listing of sprinklers.

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UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES

May 2-3, 2000

FIRE COUNCIL SCHEDULE of EVENTS

TUESDAY – MAY 2, 2000

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Plenary Breakfast for Council Members and UL Council staff
9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Fire Council Meeting
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Lunch
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Corporate Members' Meeting (<i>all attendees invited</i>)
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Joint Session of Fire and Electrical Councils
5:45 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Reception
6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Annual Meeting Dinner

WEDNESDAY – MAY 3, 2000

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast Buffet
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Fire Council Meeting
12:30 p.m. -2:00 p.m.	Lunch
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Fire Council Meeting

UL FIRE COUNCIL

SCOPE AND PURPOSE

Engineering Council Members assist and advise UL in the establishment of safety requirements that reflect realistic considerations of field experience and practical judgements, as well as sound engineering. UL Engineering Councils currently serve in the areas of Burglary Protection, Casualty, Electrical, Environmental & Public Health, Fire, and Marine. Other UL Councils include: Consumer Advisory, Follow-Up Services Advisory, International Advisory, and Management Systems Advisory.

The Fire Council was formed to advise UL on safety requirements for fire suppression equipment, fire resistant building designs, flame and smoke characteristics of building materials and other products related to fire safety. The Council also provides advice on the requirements for the installation of products and materials intended for use in accordance with codes.

Fire Council Members are fully involved in the UL Standards development process, reviewing proposals for new and revised Standards and new product reports. Members are also asked to assist UL with educating the users on UL product safety certifications.

The Council meetings are excellent opportunities to discuss topics of interest with other Council Members and UL staff. Members are urged to offer suggestions for the meeting agenda and share recommendations and comments.

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